

Hyperbaric Technicians & Nurses
Association and Australia & New
Zealand Hyperbaric Medicine Group
27th Annual Scientific Meeting 2019



JOIN US IN SYDNEY

The Hyperbaric Technicians and Nurses Association (HTNA) in conjunction with the Australia and New Zealand Hyperbaric Medicine Group (ANZHMG), invites you to attend the 27th Annual Scientific Conference on Diving and Hyperbaric Medicine in Sydney 14th-17th August 2019.

'Where to from here'?

The upcoming program and social events are being arranged with the intention of offering you topics that involve scientific and general narratives from the field of Diving and Hyperbaric Medicine.

The HTNA believe an important part of this event is to continue to build upon the strong relationships which exist in our industry and develop new friendships that will enable the sharing of ideas and experiences.

Venue

The venue for the conference is The Novotel Sydney on Darling Harbour. Located in the heart of Sydney, the hotel offers spectacular views of Darling Harbour and the Sydney skyline. With easy access to nearby attractions in Darling Harbour, Town Hall station and the Sydney CBD. Just a few minutes' walk from the front door, delegates can discover an extensive variety of entertainment, tourist attractions, bars and restaurants.

Accommodation

[Novotel Sydney Darling Harbour](#) and [Hotel Ibis Darling Harbour](#) – These Hotels are interconnected and both offer a wide range of guestrooms depending on your budget.

Please note that accommodation **bookings must be made by email or telephone only.**

For a 10% discount please quote Booking Code for accommodation – **HYP150819**

Email bookings

[Novotel Sydney Darling Harbour – h1181@accor.com](mailto:h1181@accor.com)

[Ibis Sydney Darling Harbour – h1757@accor.com](mailto:h1757@accor.com)

Phone Bookings – (02) 9288 7180 (7 days a week office hours only)

There are also a number of other hotels in Darling Harbour offering variable standards and price ranges.

Guest Speakers



James R. Holm, MD, FACP, FACEP, FUHM

Dr. James R. Holm is currently the Medical Director of the Center for Hyperbaric Medicine at Virginia Mason Medical Center in Seattle, Washington.

Dr. Holm received his medical degree from Georgetown University, Washington, DC, in 1985. He completed, and served as Chief Resident, at the combined Emergency Medicine and Internal Medicine Program at Northwestern University, Chicago, Illinois, in 1989.

Dr. Holm maintains active board certifications in Emergency Medicine, Internal Medicine, and Undersea and Hyperbaric Medicine. He has been awarded fellow status within the American College of Physicians, American College of Emergency Medicine, and the Undersea and Hyperbaric Medical Society.

He is currently the Past President of the Undersea and Hyperbaric Medical Society (UHMS). His clinical activity and research interests include decompression illness, iatrogenic gas embolism, carbon monoxide poisoning, and treatment of chronic radiation tissue injury with hyperbaric oxygen.

Dr. Holm grew up in Southern California and became a certified SCUBA diver 1969 at the age of 13. He became a NAUI and PADI SCUBA Instructor in 1978, while in college at University of California, Santa Barbara and taught diving in California and Grand Cayman Island. He is still an active diver and enjoys underwater photography and videography.

Social Functions

Cocktail Party

Thursday 15th August

6.30 – 11pm

L'Acqua



Conference Dinner

Saturday 17th August

Novotel Darling Harbour

From 7:00pm – late



The Organising Committee from the Hyperbaric Medicine Unit Prince Of Wales Hospital Sydney look forward to seeing you in 2019